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Davin Among His Moose Jaw Constituents.

HIS STRUGGLES FOR TARIFF REFORM ENDORSED BY LIBERALS AND CONSERVATIVES.

Speeches by Mayor Grayson, and Messrs. Watson, Ross, M.L.A., Rothwell, Battell, and Baker.

A meeting was held on Monday in the Town Hall to hear Mr. Davin give an account of his stewardship. It was a magnificent meeting, mainly of farmers, some of whom had come from the most distant part of this district. On the motion of Mr. Baker Mayor Grayson was moved to the chair. (cheers).

The Mayor, in introducing Mr. Davin, said he was not one of his supporters. At the same time he was always glad to hear him. They always heard him with pleasure. As they had not heard from him for some time it was meat he should come, and he had no doubt he was full of new ideas as he always was. He (Mr. Grayson) might not agree with him, but as he always had some original views he liked to hear him. He would now call on Mr. Davin.

Mr. Davin on coming forward was received with cheers. He said he was not certain whether Mr. Grayson viewed him with favour or not, but of this he was quite sure, he was not what one would call a zealous supporter, (laughter). He felt great pleasure in meeting his constituents of the Moose Jaw District, and he was greatly pleased to see so large an assembly. The great question before them and before the country was

TARIFF REFORM.

In 1892 he had urged on the government certain changes in the tariff which he thought would have relieved the farmer considerably, and to which he thought he was entitled from the point of view of justice, and he thought he had persuaded Mr. Foster, so fully was he convinced of this that when he went into the bye-elections to help to win them he told the farmers that certainly the duty on binder twine would be removed, and last session, they would remember, he said in speaking on Mr. Mulock's motion that he felt he had the previous year help to win a few elections by something like false pretences. When he went to Ottawa last January the first thing he did was to put the following motion on the paper which had appeared on the second day of the session: "That it is the opinion of this House that the duty on barbed wire, agricultural implements, coal oil and cottons should be reduced so as to give no more than reasonable protection, and that the duty on binder twine should be abolished." He had framed that resolution looking at what seemed to him the needs of the farmer, and it was a remarkable thing that the petitions presented from all sides, by farmers in various districts, by the Patrons of Industry, asked practically for what he asked. The farming community was, in his opinion, the backbone of a country, and you could not have a truly prosperous country unless you had prosperous, or at least comfortable and well-to-do farmers, (cheers). Now you could not but by means of duties protect the farmer, especially the farmer in the west, because he produces a surplus and the market which regulates the price of his commodities is outside the bounds within which the laws of the Canadian Parliament operate and rule. Most absurd arguments were used, he was sorry to say, he believed with perfect sincerity by many to convince the farmer that he too was protected, arguments which, if he were a school-master and a boy in the fourth form used them, he would feel inclined to wield the lash and lay it on in, to use the language of Marlowe, better known as George Ethel, "twit and cat"

places." (laughter). For instance it was said "we put a duty on wheat." But, as had been already indicated, that cannot affect prices because we produced a surplus of wheat, and therefore the farmer sells in an open and buys in a restricted market, (hear, hear). The United States farmer had swallowed this until lately, but the election of Mr. Cleveland and the approval with which the Wilson tariff and the addresses of President Cleveland had been received in the rural districts showed that the United States farmer had awaked from the delusive dream. It was argued that if the farmer was not prosperous, let millionaires become over so numerous, the country was in an unhealthy state. In fact these millionaires had got a good deal of their gold out of the farmers' pocket, and when the Carnegies and the Masses' built churches and gave donations of \$100,000 to institutions of culture it came in great part out of the pockets of the farmer; and when these millionaires went over to Paris and their wives got so proud that they could not live in a city of the new world, and their daughters must buy impoverished primers, and hairs to Marquisates and Dukedoms, and luxury sumptuous, wild and wanton was indulged in in European Capitals. The farmer might address them as a London cabby once addressed him. He (Mr. Davin) when a student in the Temple was going out to dine at the Junior Garrick. He lived in Sloane Street at the time. The price was just a shilling, but the London cabby always expects more than his fare, but he is liable to punishment if he asks more and never does so if he is convinced you have an accurate idea of what he should get. I, said the speaker, had the "boh" ready and as I stepped out of the hansom I handed it to cabby. He eyed it with disgust and as I was entering the club door he cried: "There you are now again! to henjoy yourself at my expense." (laughter and cheers). The only way we can protect the farmer is by giving him his means of production, his implements and other necessities as cheap as possible, (cheers). It was said that the farmer below the line was worse off than the Canadian farmer and this was used as an argument in favour of the National Policy, as it affected the farmer. But if his own argument for tariff reform was correct this is what we should expect, because the United States tariff was higher, more unscientific, more against the farmer than our own. Mr. Davin then went into other matters which had been transacted during the Session and resumed his seat loudly cheered.

The Chairman (Mr. Grayson) said he was sure they had been charmed with Mr. Davin's eloquence. He hoped some attention would be given to the subject of farmers being forced to take out their patents.

Mr. W. Watson said the question mooted by the chairman had, he believed, been dealt with.

Mr. Davin: I may as well say what has been done. When I came back I heard of this regulation, I saw at once it was stripping the farmer of his sole defence often and I wrote to Mr. Daly who wrote me saying he had written Mr. H. H. Smith telling him not to press that regulation. No one should take out his patent until we shall have passed a law which will protect the homestead.

Mr. Watson continuing said a good deal would depend when Parliament met on what would have been done in the United States. They had put a record on the Statute book that whenever the American Government would reduce their tariff on a number of articles we in Canada would make a similar reduction. The Government in power was bound by that. It would not be wise now of Mr. Davin to take this or that article but to stand behind that clause as a rampart and when we saw implements, binder twine, coal oil and binder twine free by the United

States then our Government was bound to make these things free too. With respect to

Mr. Davin would like to remark that partly through the action of Mr. Davin the grant had been increased, and he had heard demands for \$500,000. We were all in favour of immigration, but he thought it would be better for the country and would be the best way of fostering immigration if a good part of the \$200,000 was spent in the North-West in helping to make the farmer comfortable and contented, by digging artesian wells and cheapening fuel (cheers) and exterminating the sopher. Then people would write and encourage letters and there would be no need of immigration agents.

Mr. McWilliams: That would be the best advertisement they could make.

Mr. Watson: One reason why the North-West and Manitoba have not gone ahead as it should is because the western Members have been acting individually as units either from personal jealousy, a local feeling, instead of uniting as one man. It has been a little better during the last session, but until the western members will agree to think less of themselves and more of the country, the member for Western Assiniboia acting alone and getting no help from them, we in the North-West will never get those concessions and that help from the Government that we ought to get, and I urge on the other Members and Senators that when Parliament meets let them have caucus after caucus until they agree upon a plan and a leader and let every man follow that leader, and in this way get rights for us that we otherwise cannot get (cheers).

Mr. Ross, M.L.A., who was received with cheers, said he had been very much pleased to be there to-day and listen to our member once more. It pleased him especially to know that Mr. Davin, since 1887, had had a great change come over him. He (Mr. Ross) believed then as he believed now that the farmers of the North-West could only be prosperous when they had the power to buy in a cheap market. He could have nothing in issue with Mr. Davin who believed we should have tariff reform. He (Mr. Ross) did not believe any member of the Liberal party advocated what they were advocating now, but before even Mr. Davin took it up the farmers of Canada had moved, but he would say this in Mr. Davin's favour that he was one of the first to strike a blow on Parliament for tariff reform, and though he did not approve of all his methods as a constituent he was proud of him for doing this. Mr. Davin had done first rate (cheers). He (Mr. Ross) hoped he would even do better. The man who had the best interests of his party even at heart would not make them believe that everything was easy and right (loud cheers).

Mr. Rothwell hoped their member would, on the subject of tariff reform, speak with no uncertain sound. He was not quite sure Mr. Foster believed we wanted tariff reform. Many things Mr. Davin had done had been favorable to us and he hoped he would continue for thorough tariff reform.

Mr. E. N. Hopkins was pleased to see so many farmers there that day and to hear Mr. Davin. He never doubted that the National Policy was a little hard on this country and Manitoba. He had been very much pleased to hear Mr. Davin to day and he wished to say, as a farmer, that he believed Mr. Davin ever since he has been our member has stood up bravely for the interests of the farmers of this constituency (cheers) and the North-West. Every farmer would agree that he had been looking after our interests and he move that a vote of thanks be tendered to Mr. Davin and that we as farmers are thankful for his efforts in trying to remove our grievances, (cheers). Mr. Rothwell seconded the motion.

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FRIDAY, DEC. 22, 1893.

THE ART OF KISSING.

WE are favored with a letter on the
subject of kissing, from a correspondent
signed himself, or it may be herself, in
which case the directions given would
of course be more valuable. "Experi-
ence." It is an important subject
because, if we are correctly informed,
the fashion is one finding approval in
many circles, and without professing
to know anything about the art of
osculation, we feel that information on
the subject from "Experience" might
be useful. But surely it is unneces-
sary to say, "it is best for you to know
whom you are going to kiss," unless
that it is intended to mean that with
kissing, as with whiskey, all is good,
only some is better than the other.
Even then it might be well for married
people, at any rate, to ascertain whom
they are going to kiss, or at least if
they do not, to be quite sure that there
is no one looking on. People are apt
to be narrow minded on this subject,
and we have known ladies to be quite
displeased on finding their husbands
practicing the art with a pretty maid
servant. Then the injunction not to
"jump like a trout after a fly and smack
a sweet and pretty girl on the neck
or ear, or the corner of her forehead,
"or top of the nose," is hardly requir-
ed. No one in civilized lands selects
the tip of a girl's nose, though in other
respects much latitude is allowed, and
rules on the subject are apt to be dis-
regarded, on what may be called the
spur of the moment. "Don't kiss
every girl you meet" is very sound
advice, which when neglected is apt to
cause delay, and sometimes altercations
and other unpleasantness on the street,
and the injunction, "Don't sit down to
kiss the girl," is wise, because if you
do the girl is apt to get away. You
cannot in reason expect a pretty girl
to wait while you are making prepara-
tions that may mean that you are
only going to have a quiet cigar.

These are some of the things which
"Experience" says you are not apt to
do; the direction concerning what
should be done we omit because they
are mainly repetitions from an old and
classic author, who has gone very
minutely into the subject. The signa-
ture "Experience," implies that our
correspondent has followed this au-
thor's directions, and though we are
quite ready to believe on good author-
ity, that there are pleasures in oscula-
tion, such as our correspondent de-
scribes, it is difficult to avoid thinking
that, when two persons of the same
mind find fitting opportunity, they
will invent a system of their own which
will answer every purpose. Rudyard
Kipling says in one of his ballads:
"A kiss or two is nothing to you,"
and, as so much depends on time, place
and circumstances, the better plan
seems to be to get out of the way and
allow those principally concerned to
follow the fashion that seems best to
them. By lingering about the spot
with the object of imparting instruc-
tions as to method, you run great
danger of spoiling the whole thing.
Free Press.

The knack of hurling an anathema
from the pulpit has not been wholly
lost in Scotland. The nomination of
of Prof. Story as moderator of the
past general assembly has aroused the

ire of the Rev. Jacob Primmer, and he
has declared that he regards the nomi-
nation in the light of "a deliberate in-
sult to the people of Scotland, and to
God Almighty himself." To cause rate
his crimes, Prof. Story is a frequenter
of balls, plays and theatricals, advo-
cates the opening of botanical gardens,
museums and picture galleries, and the
running of trains on the Sabbath.

The anarchist who dropped the bomb
in the Chamber of Deputies in Paris
was so badly mangled himself that the
police had to patch him together. They
could have let him die, but they want-
ed to save him, so that in case anyone
dis they can shorten him by a head as
a warning to others of his kind.

The football game between the Yale
and Princeton in New York on
Thanksgiving day netted \$17,000 gate
receipts, which sum, after the payment
of expenses, will be divided between
the two teams, which will receive
about \$20,000 apiece. Football may be
a brutal game in the field, but look-
ed at through the box office it has an
attractiveness which robs it of many of
its terrors. Money is a slave which
will heal any number of abraded
skins, broken noses and cut ears, and
possibly if these were not looked-for
consequences of the game the financial
returns would not be so great.

There are so many destitute persons
in Chicago that when the relief office
is opened in the mornings they strug-
gle like wild beasts for the food and
clothes given out. The police stations
are filled every night, and many
churches have thrown open their doors
to shelter the homeless. What to do
in the emergency is a question which
the authorities do not know how to
grapple with. They believe that the
starving crowd will scatter in time,
making its way to places which promise
work sustenance, but the present
situation fills the city government with
dumy.

We apologize to the City Council.
We do not mean any half-hearted,
lopsided or knuck-kneed retraction,
but a whole-souled apology.
For years we have been declaring
that a large proportion of its members
were so corrupt and so stupid that as a
body the Council did not fairly repre-
sent the electorate. In this case we
did the council an injustice. We have
come to the conclusion that the alder-
men, such as they are, are fairly repre-
sentative of the electorate. If there
were no fools and no rogues in the
Council, an important section of the
electors would be entirely unrepresent-
ed, which would be an obvious injus-
tice.—Montreal Star.

The rabid annexationists who are
urging the absorption of the Hawaiian
Islands by the United States have been
trying to create sympathy by making
it appear that their opponents are
subjugated by British sentiments, and
are backed up by agents of the
English government. At the present
critical juncture in the Hawaiian
situation they have spread the report
that Hon. Mr. Bowell's visit to Hon-
olulu was in connection with a British
intrigue to capture the Islands. The
story is supremely ridiculous to those
who understand the circumstances of
his brief visit. Sir John Thompson's
prompt denial of the story should dis-
pel any fear that it may have caused
at Washington, where anything hinting
at British aggression finds a willing
ear and ready belief.

Toronto World: We do not care
to be recognized as a prophet, but as
far as we can surmise from the expres-
sions of members of Parliament who
are of the dominant party we would
say that the next election will be held
in the summer of 1896. Two more
regular sessions of the present Parlia-
ment can be legally held and doubtless
will be, allowing the sixth and last
Parliament to terminate in March or
April, 1896. The only members who
are anxious to see an election are a few
Conservatives who have an eye on an
office when Parliament is dissolved,
and some of the leaders of the Reform
Party. But the bulk of the members
do not want an election, and the Gov-
ernment must in a measure respect
their wishes. This being the case it
would be a matter of economy for the
House not to order a revision of the

voters' list until 1895. Some politi-
cians, not the country, are clamoring
for a fight; the Conservative party is
going through a steady process of re-
construction, perhaps regeneration,
and prefers to take time over it. With
a revision in the summer of 1895 and
a campaign session the fall and winter
thereafter, the country will be ready
for a hot contest on questions not "in
it" at the present moment, and not on
the issues which to-day have been
greatly exaggerated. The great thing
is to keep cool.

Regina Standard: It the National
Policy has not been productive of all
that was expected of it, it certainly
has been effective in one of the ways
predicted, viz: in convincing the great
Republic that Canada could not be
crushed by a hostile tariff. The pres-
ent financial depression has affected us
less than it did them, and if the one-
sided policy of Cartwright et al had
prevailed, there would to-day be no
Canada. Our neighbors abrogated the
old treaty, and shut us out of their
markets. We were compelled to pro-
tect ourselves and to seek other chan-
nels of trade. But time has wrought
its changes. They now exhibit a more
friendly mood, and although the paci-
fication is not brought about by way
of treaty, yet we are ready to meet
them. It is better for all concerned
that the change comes about through
independent enactment, for it leaves us
and them at perfect liberty to treat
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Our entire stock of Xmas goods will be displayed Saturday Dec. 2nd. We have toys, toy books, an elegant line of celluloid goods, leather cases, plush goods, oxidized silver, dolls, &c., the whole combining to make a beautiful display, and at prices that will sell.

W. W. BOLE

The Moose Jaw Times.

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LOCAL AND GENERAL NEWS.

Presbyterian S. S. entertainment to night.

Mr. J. Fitzpatrick is spending a few days in town.

The Dilemma Comedy Co. next Thursday night.

The R. T. of T. will meet on Wednesday next week.

Mr. J. H. Ross, M.L.A., paid a visit to Regina this week.

Miss Lena Boyd left for her home in Carberry on Saturday morning.

Mrs. Geo. Bunt and two children left for the east on Friday last.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Palmer, of Regina, spent a few days in town this week.

R. C. Macdonald is spending his Xmas holidays at his old home in Battleford.

WANTED.—A girl to do general house work. Apply to

Mrs. J. T. SIMPSON.

Mr. John Brass, who has been in ill-health for the past six weeks is able to be around again.

Owing to lack of space we are compelled to hold over the minutes of the Town Council this week.

Mr. Dan McMillan, who has been working for H. Ferguson for some time past, left for the east on Monday.

Rich on human and horse and all animals cured in 30 minutes by Woolford's Sanitary Lotion. This never fails. Sold by W. W. Bole.

Mrs. H. McDonald, accompanied by her two children and James Simington left for Ontario on Monday night.

Mr. Thomas McGown, who has been working for Mr. John Brass during the past summer, left for Ontario on Monday night.

Mr. C. A. Gass, photographer, has just completed a Christmas card containing a number of views of buildings in Moose Jaw.

The C. P. R. are putting in 150 additional battery bells here to be used on the new wire between Moose Jaw and Minneapolis.

Mr. C. H. Watts, who has been clerking in T. W. Robinson's store for some time, left for his old home in St. John, N. B., on Sunday night.

Rev. W. C. Bunt preached in the Methodist Church on Sunday morning and Rev. W. W. Abbott in the evening, owing to the absence of the pastor.

Mr. W. J. Holmes was in town on Tuesday.

Mr. N. E. Davis, M. P., was in town on Monday.

Mr. W. Riddell spent Monday and Tuesday in town this week.

Mr. Enoch Colpitts has been appointed Collector of Taxes for the Municipality.

Miss Sara Lord Bailey passed through on Friday night on her return from the coast.

The nomination for mayor and councillors will be held in the Town Hall on Monday the 25th.

Miss Hood, who has been visiting friends in the west for the past month returned on Monday.

Don't forget that the Dilemma Comedy Co. will show here on Thursday evening next. Plan of hall at Bole's Drug Store.

English Spavin Remover removes all hard, soft or inflamed lampp and bleedings from horses, blind, spavin, Curbs, Splints, Ring Bone, Scurvy, Strides, Sprains, Sore and Swollen Throat, Coughs, etc. Save \$50 by using one bottle. Sold by W. W. Bole.

Mr. G. M. Amable returned from Indian Head on Thursday morning accompanied by his brother, H. F. Amable. They brought with them a fair load of beef cattle.

Mr. H. Lang, editor of the TIMES left for Calgary on Monday's delayed train to be present at the reception given to Lieut. Governor and Mrs. Mackintosh on Wednesday evening.

The Union Gospel Temperance meeting held in the Presbyterian Church on Sunday evening was largely attended, the church being crowded to the door. Rev. W. L. Clay and Mr. Spicer had charge of the meeting.

Rheumatism Cured in a Day.—South American Rheumatism Cure for Rheumatism and Neuralgia radically cures in 1 to 3 days. Its action upon the system is remarkable and mysterious. It removes at once the cause and the disease immediately disappears. The first dose greatly benefits. 75 cents sold by W. W. Bole, Druggist.

John Jamieson and Mr. Fitz James called at the TIMES office last evening.

Mr. Edward Ewart was in town on Tuesday making arrangements for the construction of a telephone line from Moose Jaw to Buffalo Lake for the use of the settlers in that district.

The Presbyterian Church S. School will hold their annual Christmas Tree and entertainment to-night Dec. 22nd. A splendid programme consisting of songs, recitations, readings, dialogues and tableaux will be given. This event promises to be the best of the season. Admission 25c.

The programmes for the Methodist S. School entertainment are being printed and they contain the greatest variety of jovial songs, choruses, plays, speeches, orations and dialogues we have ever seen on one bill. All who have had the pleasure of being entertained by the children of this school on former occasions will know of their ability to perform the parts allotted to them. In this entertainment children only will take part.

At the regular meeting of the I.O.F. on Tuesday evening the following officers were elected for the current term: H. Ferguson and Dr. Tidwell being nominated by the Supreme Court: H. Ferguson, C.D.H.C.R.; C.D.J.C.R.; C.R.; W. Little, V.C.R.; H. P. G. Dreyer, R.S.; J. E. Kerr, F.S.; B. Bogue, Chap.; C.D.J. Christian, T.; F. G. Herder, S.W.; Thos. Wright, J.W.; H.W. Carter, S.B.; R.W. Timmins, J.B.; B. Bogue and J. E. Amable, Finance Committee; H. Ferguson and J. E. Amable, Trustees; Dr. Turnbull Medical Examiner.

ATTEMPTED WRECK.

WODESLY, Dec. 18.—An attempt was made early this morning to wreck No. 1 by a rail being placed across the track about four miles west of here. Fortunately no one was injured, the only accident being the derailment of the engine, which delayed the train between four and five hours.

THE DILEMMA COMEDY CO.

Mr. T. T. Hamill, advance agent for the Dilemma Comedy Co., was in town this week and made arrangements to play his company in the town hall on Thursday, Dec. 28. We do not think anybody will be disappointed. The Dilemma Co. are highly spoken of wherever they have appeared as the following from the Ottawa Free Press shows: "The Dilemma or the Countryman's first visit to New York was the attraction last night. It is a three act comedy, is bristling over with funny situations and was put on in a very commendable manner."

The artists in their respective characters created no end of amusement and kept the very large audiences in hearty laughter throughout. In addition a high class specialty performance was included on the programme, in which Messrs. J. W. Dempsey, A. Downie, E. J. Neddo and P. Wilson along with Misses Clara Herbert and Lavinia appeared. The songs, dancing and other specialties were the best given an Ottawa audience for some time." Secure your seats at Bole's.

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Mr. T. B. Baker said before the motion was put he wished to call attention to the subject of

FREIGHT RATES.

which constituted about as great a burden as they had to groan under. The C. P. R. had treated them well by the reduction made some time ago to Fort William, but rates should be still lower. Grain should be carried from here to Fort William for 14c a bushel. The freight on coal was too high. The C.P.R. were the lessees of the old Galt road, which was now the same gauge as the C.P.R., and they are charging \$3.30 a ton from Dunmore and \$4.05 a ton from Leithbridge, and from Estevan \$1.75. This is too high. Coal sold in Winnipeg for \$7.50 was sold here for \$9.50. He hoped Mr. Davin would do something in this matter. (Cheers.)

Mr. J. E. Battell, president of the Creamery Association, said the Creamery had not received one dollar of aid from the Government. He thought the Government should aid them. It was high time we had a change of tariff.

The motion was carried unanimously and amid cheers.

Mr. Davin replied saying freight rates could not be affected by legislation but any moral thing in his power he would do, and as to the Creamery he had already viewed. He thanked them for the vote. He always found not only an intelligent but highly sympathetic, kindly and forbearing audience in Moose Jaw (cheers).

Mr. Watson moved and Mr. Davin seconded a vote of thanks to the chairman which was carried with cheers, and Mr. Grayson having replied the meeting separated.

WHOLESALE

Wine, Liquor and Cigar Store.

DRINK and the Death Rate.

The British Medical Association appointed a committee to make enquiries, in order to ascertain the average age of the different categories of drinkers, that is to say, those who refrain completely from alcoholic drink, those who indulge more or less in moderation, and those who drink to excess. This committee has handed in its report. Its conclusions are drawn from 624 deaths, which are divided into five categories of individuals, with the average age attained by each:

Total Abstinents.	61 yrs. 32 days.
Carotid drinkers.	49 " 51 "
Free drinkers.	47 " 46 "
Habitually moderate drinkers.	45 " 15 "
Habitually immoderate drinkers.	40 " 8 "

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M. J. MacLeod.

MUSICAL INTIMATION

Should the number of applicants prove sufficient, Professor C. F. Artyll Saxby (organist Regina Knox Church) will visit Moose Jaw once weekly for the purpose of giving instruction in pianoforte and organ playing, voice production, theory of music, etc.

A few special arrangements may be made for pianoforte tuning, 7 terms in most cases, \$3.50. Agency for sheet music and musical magazines. For terms, testimonials and prices call on Mr. A. J. MacLeod at once to Saxby's Musical Bureau, Regina, Assn.

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To travel with Uncle Tom's Cabin Co. to sell tickets and act as treasurer. Must be sober and reliable and must be able to furnish \$50 to \$100 dollars. Good chance to make big money. For particulars enquire at TIMES office on or before 25th Dec. 1893.

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NOTICE.

THE following is a summary of the Regulations with respect to the manner of recording claims for Mineral Lands other than Coal Lands, and the condition governing the purchase of the same.

Any person may explore vacant Dominion Lands not appropriated or reserved by Government for other purposes, and may search therefor, either by surface or subterranean prospecting, for mineral deposits, with a view to obtaining a mining location for the same, but no mining location shall be granted until actual discovery of the vein, lode, or metal within the claim:

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teries, except 5 and 25, which have been homesteaded, reserved to provide wood lots for settlers, or other purposes, may be homesteaded by any person who is sole head of a family, or male over eighteen years of age, to the extent of one quarter section of 160 acres, more or less.

ENTRY.

Entry may be made personally at the local land office in which the land to be taken is situated, or if the homesteader desires, he may, on application to the Minister of the Interior, Ottawa, or the Commissioner of Dominion Lands, Winnipeg, receive authority for some one to make entry for him. A fee of \$10 is charged for an ordinary homestead entry; but for lands which have been occupied as homesteads for at least six months to meet inspection and cancellations expenses.

HOMESTEAD DUTIES.

Under the present law homestead duties may be performed in three ways, and as making application for entry the settler must declare under which of the following conditions he elects to hold his land:

1. Three years' cultivation and residence during which period the settler may not be absent for more than six months in any one year without forfeiting the entry.
2. Residence for two years and nine months anywhere within two miles of the homestead quarter section, and afterwards actual residence in a habitable house upon the homestead for three months next prior to application for patent. Under this system 10 acres must be broken the first year after entry, 15 additional in the second, and 15 in the third year; 10 acres to be in crop the second year and 25 acres the third year.
3. The five years' system under which a settler may reside anywhere for the first two years (but must perfect his entry by commencing cultivation within six months after the date thereof), breaking five acres the first year, cropping those 5 acres and breaking 10 acres additional the second year, and also building a habitable house upon and cultivate his homestead for at least six months in each of the three next succeeding years.

APPLICATION FOR PATENT may be made before the local agent or any homestead inspector. Before making application for Patent the settler must give six months' notice in writing to the Commissioner of Dominion Lands of his intention to so do, and thereupon the settler must give application for patent, a week before a homestead inspector, a fee of \$5 is chargeable.

SECOND HOMESTEAD.

may be taken by anyone who has received a homestead patent or a certificate of pre-emption countermanded by the Commissioner of Dominion Lands upon application for patent made by him, or had earned title to his homestead, or prior to the second day of June, 1880.

INFORMATION.

Full information respecting the land, timber, coal or mineral laws, and copies of these Regulations, as well as those respecting Dominion Lands in the Railway Belt in British Columbia, may be obtained upon application to the Secretary of the Department of the Interior, Ottawa, the Commissioner of Dominion Lands, Winnipeg, Manitoba, or in any of the Dominion Land Agents' Offices in Manitoba or the North-West Territories.

A. M. BURGESS,
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